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ELLISON BROS.

THE A. S. OF E. COLUMN

(JAMES H. SAUNDERS)

The Unions of Fulton County meet as follows: Hickman 1st and 3rd Thursday nights, Simmons 2nd and 4th Tuesday 3 p. m., Montgomery 2nd and 4th Wednesday 3 p. m., Cayce 1st and 3d Saturday 3 p. m., the nucleus at Hazel Dell meets 1st and 3d Wednesday at 3 p. m. Every one is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Farmers, have you read what the papers are saying about wheat? H. H. Carr & Co., Chicago say "Nothing which has been given to the public of late concerning wheat is so surprising as the details of the north-west situation published for the first time by a trade paper of high authority at Minneapolis. It shows that some of the big mills there have been forced to shut down because after having paid 31-2c premium over December price, they are unable to get enough milling wheat out of the daily receipts to keep their mills going. Very light marketing of spring wheat is not altogether due to inability of railroads to move the grain to market, but very largely to short yields and firmer prices on the part of wheat raisers. Wheat is not offered for sale in a way that permits it to move to market as in former years. To-day total Western receipts are 600-000 bushels short of the same time last year."

Correspondence from Washington says—"Financial centers are beginning to regard with interest the various movements now on foot among farmers to control or rather to regulate the prices of their own products." A leading financial paper of the country, in discussing these movements says: "Proverbially the American farmer has been a poor merchant. He has taken what the trade was willing to give him and always regarded himself as subject

to the openest kind of competition as a seller." This is a very fair statement of the case. The farmers have been content to be producers, and have neglected the other part of their legitimate business, to be traders. A man may produce to the end of time but if he neglects to get a fair price for what he produces, he will remain poor, and in one sense of the word the servant of the one who buys. The financial paper states that the movement among farmers to get higher prices for their products by studying the market and holding their crops for a price they deem honest and fair, "is perfectly legitimate and may be even commendable." The editor might have said "is commendable," and have left off its qualification that it may even be." Farmers Home Journal commenting on this says: "That same great paper as well as nearly all the other leading papers of the country have again and again declared that all the movements of labor to command higher wages is highly commendable, without putting any qualifying remark. The crop of the farmer is the result of his labor, and yet for many generations he has gone to market with this product of his labor, and let the first offer take it. Had working men not combined the price of labor in this and all other countries would still be a few pence a day. The old law of supply and demand, cuts little figure in fixing the price of labor. Union has set aside that law and made it obsolete. If the law of supply and demand no longer governs in the matter of labor can it not also be made obsolete, at least to a great extent, in marketing the crop of the farmer?"

The Memphis Commercial Appeal says: "The importance which the country attributes to the recent session of the Farmers Union, and the fact that the Federation of Labor sought an alliance with the farmers demonstrates conclusively that the man of the plow and farm begins to

recognize the strength that is at his command and has found in this union a medium of properly handling his tremendous power. And if this should prove true; if the farmer has at last fashioned a union capable of protecting his interests enough to restore to him that influence in public affairs which he used to enjoy and which by every law of nature and man, ought to belong to him. Every true statesman and every loyal citizen in the republic will recognize in the discovery an occasion of natural rejoicing. "As a factor in the progress of the United States, the agricultural class is larger numerically than any other; as a wealth producer it is supreme, as the bearer of the expenses of the government it is a mainstay, but as a recipient of government favors it is restricted to the niggardly inheritance of the step-child." Thus for many decades the largest class of American toilers, the chief wealth producers of the nation, and the main taxpayers of the country have been contributing to a condition that makes life and living easy and luxurious for others, receiving in return nothing but the scraps from the feast. All America has come to recognize this crying injustice, consequently if the farmers through their union can bring about a change benefitting their own condition and advancing their influence in the affairs of public life, all America will gladly and cheerfully make way for the new power. It is a power directly in line with the fundamental principles of this country. Years ago it was tricked out of its rightful heritage, and the country has been visited with a loss of public morals and patriotism because of the usurpation."

No wonder Mr. Everett says the fields are ripe for the harvest. A few months ago Up-to-date Farming was the only paper in the country which upheld the farmers' right to price the products of his own labor. See how rapidly the papers are fall-

ing in line. And now, brother farmer, what are you doing for the cause? Are you helping us to carry the load or lagging back and crying "can't?"

Miss Grace Aylor.

The remains of Miss Grace Aylor a former Hickman lady, but more recently of Arkansas City, Ark., were brought to Hickman Saturday last for interment in the City Cemetery. A short time ago, probably a month, she was a visitor here, going from here to Gleason, Tenn., to visit, and intending to go from there to Nashville, and return to Hickman again before returning to her home. She became sick while in Gleason and was taken to the hospital at Nashville, for treatment, and there an operation was performed for intussusception of the bowels, in which a part of the intestines were removed, but she was not strong enough to withstand the ordeal, and succumbed.

She was a refined and intelligent young lady, and was much liked by her many friends in Hickman and elsewhere. Her brother Claude, accompanied the remains here for interment.

Master Roan Lowe of Fulton, Ky., aged three years, the small son of William Lowe and wife, while playing in the back yard at his home fell into a pot of boiling water. His little body in many places was burned to the bones. He is still alive, but little hope is entertained for his recovery.

The bakery and confectionery of Dahkne's at Fulton burned Wednesday last week with a loss of \$1000.

At West Hickman Chapel Sunday School 2:30 P. M. Rev. J. L. Lucas will arrive in Hickman today, and will assist Bro. Johnson in the Mission work in the city and surrounding community.

Woodland Mills.

We are glad to see the sun shine once more.

Little Harold Rice is very ill with scarlet fever.

Miss Sadie Fry visited relatives in Union City Sunday.

Dr. R. N. Turner has purchased the Heffy property.

Mrs. A. A. Saunders is visiting Mrs. W. H. Saunders.

Mrs. G. B. Burrus is at Union City under medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Corlin attended services at Poplar Grove Sunday.

Miss Fannie Dale Brafield was the guest of Miss Lucy Burrus Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Bramham was home from her school Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Jennie and Mary Burrus visited relatives in Union City Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Nannie Jones will leave for Kenton Tuesday to be present at the Thorton-Hale wedding.

The ladies of the Methodist Aid Society will conduct a Handkerchief Bazaar, Thursday, December 6th from 2 P. M. until 4 P. M. at Mrs. S. M. Hubbard's. Everybody invited.

A special train of nine large express cars, each containing an average of thirty thousand pounds of dressed turkeys, left Paris Friday for Boston and eastern markets. The shipments comprised five cars from Paris, the others being from Lexington, Winchester, Richmond, Carlisle and Johnson. The fowls will bring from eighteen to twenty-six cents per pound in the markets of the East. The turkey packing and slaughtering business began there thirty years ago.

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Mrs. Martha Bradley.

Mrs. Bradley, no doubt the best citizen of Fulton county, on Tuesday of last week at her home on route four, near town, was laid to rest. Friday at Rush Creek, near E. M. Bradley was the mother of E. M. Bradley and was about 70 years old the twenty eighth of the past. She was a Christian, but we were unable to get into the church with which she confessed her faith. She had been ill for several months, but as a result of old age and general debility. The Courier extends sympathy to the family.

Theodore Roosevelt having the under no circumstances will be a candidate for re-election.

Shaw & Bettersworth's groceries.

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The Publisher of Webster's International Dictionary claims that it is the only dictionary published in the United States which is complete, correct, and up-to-date. It is the only dictionary which is published by a man who is a linguist, and who has spent his life in the study of languages. It is the only dictionary which is published by a man who is a scholar, and who has spent his life in the study of literature. It is the only dictionary which is published by a man who is a statesman, and who has spent his life in the study of government. It is the only dictionary which is published by a man who is a philosopher, and who has spent his life in the study of philosophy. It is the only dictionary which is published by a man who is a scientist, and who has spent his life in the study of science. It is the only dictionary which is published by a man who is a statesman, and who has spent his life in the study of government. 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Friday, November 30, 1906

A Special from Paducah says. That Justice Harlan in all probability will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor of Kentucky is vouched for by persons close to the throne and it is given out on unquestionable authority that a Federal employe is now in the State sizing up the situation in behalf of Justice Harlan, giving particular heed to the make-up of the remainder of the ticket. This same authority has it that Justice Harlan has long entertained the ambition of rounding out of his career as Chief Executive of the Commonwealth.

He now may at any time ask to be retired on half pay. It is stated that within three weeks it will be positively announced whether or not he will make the race.

We are in receipt of numbers one, two and three of the Portageville Critic, published at Portageville, Mo. and edited by C. N. Walker. The paper is already enjoying a good advertising patronage, and will no doubt be a credit to the town. The new paper is an eight page one and well filled with local news. We wish the Critic success.

Congressman John Sharp Williams in a speech at Waltham, Mass., declared that Gov. Yardaman was "a monomaniac in the negro question and not in accord with sentiment of the South."

And the opinion of the public is the reverse.

The State Printing Commission has passed on the \$44,000 claim of the Globe Printing Company of Louisville for printing teachers registers and trustees books distributed this year, cutting it to \$9,200 for the work.

Dr. A. D. James who was elected to congress in the Third District is critically ill of pneumonia at his home in Penrod, Ky.

New Officers, U. D. C.

The Private Robert Tyler Chapter Daughters of the Confederacy, held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon, the 13th, with Mrs. Jno. S. Dillon.

Besides other business, the annual election of officers took place. Most of the old officers retiring, having served the limit two years allowed by the organization. The following were elected for the coming year.

Miss Marie Brevard—President.
Mrs. H. F. Remley—1st. Vice President (re-elected).

Mrs. Thos. Dillon—2nd Vice President.

Miss Allie Dodds—Recording Secretary. (re-elected).

Miss Light Farris—Corresponding Secretary.

Mrs. Jno. S. Dillon—Treasurer. Mrs. Maggie Kandle—Historian. The Daughters are very enthusiastic in their work and hope to accomplish much during the next year. They are most anxious to be able to begin the erection of their Memorial Arch at the gateway of the City Cemetery, something every one in town should be interested in, as it will be an ornament to our beautiful City of the Dead, and should be a pride of the town. They want to complete it in the near future that the old "boys" who wore the gray, may see and enjoy it, ere they cross over the river to "rest under the shade of trees."

Clarence Bowden is home from a week's visit in Mississippi.

Son Tells Tragic Story of his Father's Death.

The tragic death of J. Handy Moore and Dr. J. H. White, near Charleston, Mo., last Tuesday morning, is related by the little 12-year-old son of Mr. Moore, in his testimony before the coroner's jury as follows:

"I live at Charleston, Mo. I think I left Charleston yesterday, the 19th (of November) about 2:00 or 2:30 p. m. J. H. Moore and Dr. White were with me. We came from Charleston. I don't know what time we passed Whiting. I went to Windville with them. We asked at a house before we got to a saw mill, the way to Kelly Barber's; we were going there to find out where the hunting party was.

"We were going down the railroad and a boy behind us told us to hurry, the train was coming. Our team started to run and broke the single-tree. We started again and went to a place and had our buggy fixed, just past the last house on the school house road. Dr. White began to let his lines loose and I asked him to let me drive, and he said: 'Who are you?' I told him and he knocked me out of the buggy. I led the team around the corner and the buggy was in the ditch. I then looked around and my father had fallen out of the buggy. I went back and tried to get father up but couldn't and I put something under his head.

They were drinking. I think they brought it from Charleston. They were drinking from a bottle. There was no quarrelling between father and Dr. White but they seemed to be under the influence of whiskey. Papa did not seem to notice Dr. White hit me.

I found out this morning that my father was dead. I spent a good deal of time trying to get papa and Dr. White up. I got Dr. White up, but he fell down and I couldn't get

him to papa. He told me I could get him to the buggy he would go and get papa up. We were both in the buggy and I went to sleep. When I woke up I found Dr. White had fallen out of the buggy and his overalls caught on the stirrup. I ran back to papa and found him dead. It was after dark when this last occurrence took place. When I told Dr. White this morning that papa was dead he said it was a 'damned good thing.' I tried to get Dr. White from under the buggy so I would drive to a neighboring house but he would at kick me when I tried to get him. I did not see him drink or take anything but whiskey.

"I drove up to the house and told them to send Joe Moore word and telephone mamma.

I don't know what time Dr. White died. After I left father dead and Dr. White alone I did not see them again until I arrived at Whiting."

No need to be saving with coal when you can get it at the price made by the Hickman Ice and Coal Co. Read their ad. in this issue. Telephone no. 48.

If You Would See a Smoker Smile

give some of your smoking friends cigars from our fine stock at Christmas time.

They will have double reason to smile, for they'll receive a practical gift and they will get the right sort of goods if they come from here.

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Dorena Items.

Mr. J. G. Huff of Anliston was down last week.

The snow we had last week was quite a surprise.

Mrs. Stella Hall is at Medley this week, sewing.

Little Borita Pickett is on the sick list at this writing.

Mr. Guy Hall visited relatives at Hallowell Ky. last week.

Mr. Noah Alexander is the father of a big girl born Sunday.

Joella Byasser entertained a number of her friends Sunday.

Mr. J. T. Crow and wife are very sick but are recovering slowly.

Miss Marietta Fowles went to Hickman Sunday to attend church.

Mrs. Upton and family was the guest of Mrs. J. D. Pickett Sunday.

Mr. Will Hineshaw of Hickman was over here last week on business.

Mr. Guy Hall was the guest of Miss Carmen Crawford awhile Sunday.

Mrs. B. C. White was on the sick list last week but is better at this writing.

Mrs. Lola Pickett of Hickman was over last week visiting her mother Mrs. Byasser.

There is very much uneasiness among the farmers on account of the high stage of the river.

Several days rain has been quite a hindrance to the farmers in gathering their corn and cotton.

Mr. O. T. Aydelott returned home Monday from New Mexico where he has been prospecting for a new home.

We are glad to see Mr. J. W. McCarthis out again who has been bothered with blood poison for the past two weeks.

There was no Sunday School Sunday on account of the bad day and muddy roads. There will be Sunday School next Sunday if the weather permits.

Young Lady, Here is Your Opportunity.

Can you "figger" it? If you are your chance. We will give you a problem for you to solve and the first correct answer brought in and mailed to the "Prize Department" of the Courier before 11 a. m. on the 19th, we will give you a silver dollar. All answers must have your name on the paper. We will record each answer and will receive it at this office and will direct answers are received. We will also receive each answer. The problem is to find out what the circumference is. Base your answer on our regular eight page paper. Printing a paper every week for 5 years except Christmas week.

If you were to take this paper and print during this time, you would end for end, this paper is 23.33 acres. The length of the paper is 176,429.17 feet. The circle, the diameter of the circle would be 176,429.17 feet. If you were to lay this paper out side they would cover ground up to 23.33 acres.

Laid end for end they would reach 2.98 miles beyond Waverly, Tenn. on the N. C. & St. L. Ry. line. Hickman.

Here is your chance. Let your answer in by 7 a. m., December 19, so we can publish the name of the winner in our Christmas number.

Levee Work to Begin in Mississippi County.

Work will begin at once on the levee in Mississippi county, Missouri, opposite Hickman. The Warrenton Co. brought a large force of men to the city Wednesday, together with engineers, who will do this work.

We understand that the work now beginning is a part of the farm contract and that the government work will not begin until early in the coming year.

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We Are Ready For You

Eagerly awaiting the opportunity to put you in touch with all the latest and best in Xmas novelties for 1906. We are offering the best products of the most reliable manufacturers, and a certain assurance of high quality and honest worth in every article. Something appropriate for every person. Below is a partial list suitable gifts for every age and every size pocketbook:

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Watch
Gard Chain
Ring
Necklace
Stick Pin
Hand Mirror
Cologne Bottle
Perfume Spray
Manicure Scissors
Nail Polishers
Bracelets
Pen Tray
Rocker Blotter
Paper Cutter
Velvet Brush
Cold Cream Jar
Card Case
Glove Hook
Purse

FOR THE YOUNG GIRL

Locket
Opera Glass
Fan
Parasol
Watch Fob
Bracelet
Hat Pin
Silver Brush
Pin Tray
Nail File
Shoe Horn
Brooch
Purse
Book Mark
Manicure Set
Chatelaine Pin
Chatelaine Mirror
Diamond Ring
Inkstand

FOR THE MATRON

Brooch
Brush and Comb Set
Puff Box
Hair Pin Holder
Violet Holder
Baking Dish
Berry Bowl
Salad Bowl
Candelabra
Tea Bell
Pepper and Salt
Nut Bowl
Almond Dish
Chafing Dish
Stamp Box
Needle Case
Shoe Hook
Knives and Forks
Salad Set

FOR THE MEN

Watch Chain
Watch Fob
Ring
Cuff Links
Stud
Shaving Bowl
Shaving Mirror
Military Brushes
Whisk Broom
Cloth Brush
Hat Brush
Soap Box
Check Cutter
Stamp Box
Silver Knife
Match Box
Ash Tray
Smoking Set
Gillette Razor

A little list for the little folks:—Ring, Neckchain, Locket, Silver Rattle, Baby Pins, Spoon, Food Pusher, Cup and Childs Set. The above is only a partial list of the gifts that we have in Sterling Silver, Gold and Gold Filled goods. We are also agents for the famous Pickard Hand Printed China. We offer our holiday goods at a uniform scale of very reasonable prices, assuring the buying public that our price marks have but one meaning and that is, "Honest Values." Bear in mind that any purchase that is made at our store has to be exactly as represented or money refunded. Goods will be sent on approval to out of town parties who are responsible.

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Local Notes

Cheer up.

Fine weather.

River about on a stand.

J. Austin was in Fulton this week.

L. M. Kelley is in Nashville this week.

Clement West, of Fulton, was in town this week.

Miss Marie Brevard spent yesterday in Arlington.

Mrs. E. L. King is visiting relatives at Clayton, Tenn., this week.

It is claimed that Overboro man made \$1.50 grow into three millions in 22 years.

A. S. Roedel will move his photograph gallery over Ledford & Randle's store, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Tyler attended the foot ball game at Nashville, yesterday.

J. C. Patterson, of Hickman, was in the city Sunday enroute home from Paducah.—Messenger.

Miss Lizzie Tams visited relatives here Saturday returning to her home in Union City, Sunday.

Mrs. Mittie King has returned to her home, after several weeks visit to relatives at Union City.

Mrs. J. L. Atwell, of Route Four, was in town Wednesday, the guest of her sister, Mrs. V. Beale.

Mr. Lon Morris and Miss Pearl Murrell, of Lynnville, were married at Fulton Monday by J. T. Futrell.

F. H. Hopkins and Miss Anna Walker, of near Wingo, were married at Fulton Sunday by Esq. J. T. Futrell.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Swayne spent yesterday in Union City. Mrs. Swayne and children have been in Union City for a week.

Mr. Otto Hertweck was in Cairo last week, to see his daughter, Mrs. John Ford, who was hurt recently. He reports her to be getting along nicely.

Christmas next.

W. A. Dodds went to Nashville Wednesday.

Watch for Naylor Mercantile Co.'s ad next week.

John Meacham was a Fulton visitor Sunday.

Pay for your water and light at the ice factory office.

Nolan Poole, of Milburn, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Belle Case.

Everything open and on display today—the holiday goods at Berendes.

Henry Sanger has accepted a position in C. G. Schlenker's jewelry store.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Haynes, of Dyersburg, are visiting relatives here.

If your water and light rent is not paid by the 10th of the month, you will be cut off.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Boston arrived in Hickman this week. Ben was married to Miss Follen, at Dyer, Tenn., last week.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy at Gulfport last week adopted a resolution thanking Roosevelt for the part he played in the passage of the act providing for marking the graves of Confederate soldiers who died in Northern prisons.

In 1901 Standard Oil touched \$40. Last week it sold for \$95. The difference is 355 millions. So much for the abolition of rebates.

Settling up time is drawing near and if you wish to collect your bills easily get your bill heads printed. This class of work is neatly and cheaply executed at this office. We have in stock different sizes and shapes of bill heads and statements. Our commercial printing is neat, correct and in accordance with the prevailing styles. "The best is the cheapest."

Insurance Office.

Mr. J. D. Elkins, representing the Commonwealth Life Insurance Co., of Louisville, has opened an office in Hickman and is doing a nice business. If you are interested in insurance, let him talk to you.

The Lecture a Success.

The lecture of Booth Lowrey, the eloquent Southerner, at the City Hall Wednesday night, was in all respects a decided success.

In the first place, Mr. Lowrey surpassed our expectations with his masterly humor and description; then, too, a large and responsive audience proved Hickman appreciates high class entertainments; and, also, the financial success is gratifying—clearing twenty dollars.

The band and Miss Miller gave an enjoyable prelude to the lecture, and now we give three cheers for the High School, under whose auspices this entertainment was given.

Thanksgiving Wedding.

Miss Katie Mai Lunsford was married yesterday, to Mr. Calvin Arrington, at the bride's home, on route four, near Moscow. Both the contracting parties live near Moscow.

Mrs. Arrington is the daughter of Mr. A. M. Lunsford, one of Fulton County's most prominent and successful farmers, and was a young lady of the best society. She has the best wishes of her many friends for a long and happy life with the husband of her choice.

Mr. Arrington is a resident of the neighborhood of Moscow, a son of Mr. Sam Arrington and a prominent young man of his neighborhood. The Courier with their many well wishing friends extend to them hearty congratulations.

C. P. Shonate was in Newburn last week, being called there on account of the illness of his father. He is reported to be better now.

Only three weeks until Christmas.

Prospects for Library Bright.

Last week a communication from Mr. Carnegie was received inquiring about a site for the building, the amount expended this year for books, the amount collected for the new building and other points regarding our interest in books and libraries.

New Granitoid Walks.

Mr. E. J. Boothe has been engaged for the past few weeks putting down a lot of new granitoid walks about town. He has a contract with the Farmers' Hardware Company to lay one in front of their building, recently purchased from Mr. R. T. Tyler, and will begin the work as soon as some material arrives which he has ordered. He also has a contract to lay a floor in the Hickman Ice & Coal Co.'s plant. He has several contracts under consideration which he thinks he will get.

J. D. Cole and family are back from Cronanville, Tenn., and will reside on Route 2, near Hickman. Folks who come back to the best town on the map.

Illustrated Lecture.

Rev. S. A. Neblett, a missionary to Cuba, will deliver a Sereopticon Lecture on Cuba and missionary work, at the Methodist Church, in Hickman, Monday night, Dec. 3. No admission will be charged but an offering will be taken. All invited.

The Stacker Lee passed down Wednesday afternoon, loaded to the roof—and the roof loaded, too. It was probably as large a load as was ever put on, the crew for awhile fearing that they would be unable to load all the freight from Hickman. The Lee Line is doing a good business this season.

WANTED—For U. S. army, able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English; for information apply to recruiting officer, 126 N. Court st., Memphis, Tenn.; 236 Main st., Jonesboro, Ark.; Corinth, Miss., or Hickman, Ky.

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Heat your room in no time and will keep it warm and cozy. Operates on a lamp and perfectly safe. Will cannot be turned off and on too low. Gives no smoke or smell because fitted with smokeless device. Can be carried about, and does not need an ordinary stove. The Perfection Oil Heater is superior to all other oil heaters in its ability to give heat. Made in Germany, England and Japan. Burns oil from best grades of oil and burns. Burns four quarts of oil and burns. Every heater warranted. If not at your dealer, write nearest agency for descriptive circular.



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Working as much off your farm as you ought? No doubt you can. The trouble in the land costs too much. It costs money to buy a big farm, and so you are trying to make a small farm, or perhaps you are renting one and paying a good deal of money in rent. Wouldn't it be better to go where the land is so little that you can own a big farm—where every acre is working for you and all your raise is paying you

thousands of acres of fertile land in the Southwest along the Cotton Belt Route that can be bought for from \$3 to \$10 an acre and is increasing in value each year.

See the Southwest at Small Cost.

Write to the Southwest would convince you that your best interests are there. The trip can be made at a very little expense. On the first and third Thursdays of each month you can purchase a round trip ticket to the Southwest on or via the Cotton Belt Route at a special rate. Stop-overs will be allowed for you to examine any localities interested in.

Write at once for free copies of books describing this wonderful land and for full information about cost of tickets, etc.

W. C. PHILLIPS, D. P. A., Cotton Belt Route, 25 South Main, Memphis, Tenn.

Local Notes

W. J. Bland was at home over Sunday.

Autumn necessities. Household ready for that cold, at the K. K.

The Independent Coal Co. has several tons of coal under water.

The new coal yard wants your order.

Miss Elizabeth Wilson is visiting in Wingo.

Endorsed by all users—the sweets at the K. K.

Our rural mail carriers took a vacation Thursday.

What does Shaw & Bettersworth sell? Go and see.

A feast for a little money—the good things at the K. K.

Have you bought your coal? If not, why not telephone no. 48?

Mrs. I. D. Price returned Tuesday from a visit in Shreveport, La.

You miss a treat if you fail to buy groceries from Shaw & Bettersworth.

Berendes will have his holiday goods ready for your inspection today.

Guy Hale and Edward Townsend spent Sunday afternoon in Union City.

Don't overlook paying your water and light account by the 10th of the month.

D. A. Luten, of Union City, was in town Monday and called on the Courier.

Hardware, Cutlery, Groceries, all at reasonable prices.—Shaw & Bettersworth.

Miss Ethel Naylor is spending the week at Gayce, the guest of Mrs. Leo Naylor.

Miss Annie Cowgill went to Nashville to spend Thanksgiving. She left Wednesday.

Miss Lena Wiggs, of Nashville, was the guest of Mrs. J. Amberg the first of the week.

W. T. Wassel and Miss Allie Oliver were married in Fulton, Tuesday of last week.

Owen Kirby, the telephone repair man, is spending a few days in Greenfield, Tenn.

Largest line of holiday goods ever in Hickman, open and on display today at Berendes.

McKee Johnson won the prize at the skating rink, Tuesday night. Elmer Boothe was second.

The Presbyterian Services have been changed from the 3rd and 4th Sundays to the 2nd and 4th.

Preaching at the Methodist Church every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sunday School 9:30 A. M.

A new sidewalk has been laid from the head of the steps along the east line of Miss Jesse Oatten's property.

Capt. Wm. Dipple and wife arrived in Hickman, Thursday, to spend the winter. They came from Warsaw, Ills.

Mrs. A. O. Caruthers spent the latter part of the week with Union City relatives, and returned home with her husband Sunday.

Thorough-bred Bronze Turkeys, Black Langshan and Buff Plymouth Rock chickens for sale.—Mrs. Annie McDaniel, Hickman, Ky.

Lawson Caruthers spent Sunday with his brother, A. O. Caruthers, in Hickman. Lawson is working in the express office in Union City.

J. M. Moore, the popular telephone manager, spent Sunday in Union City. This will probably occur regularly until about Christmas.

J. R. Anderson and Rice Omen will start a small store at Russellville, six miles west of Hickman. They will also endeavor to establish a postoffice at this place.

LOST—between Baltzer & Dadds Store and Mrs. W. J. Barry's—an express package containing linen centerpiece. Reward offered. Return to Baltzer & Dadds Store or to Mrs. S. L. Dadds.

Jury Decide McClain Case at Mayfield.

The jury in the case of the Commonwealth against Walter McClain, charged with the murder of his brother, Berthel McClain, and John Caster, at Lynnville, in Graves county, on Sunday night, March 17, 1905, returned a verdict at 4:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon of not guilty. The trial had been on for several days, and every inch of the ground on both sides has been hard fought.

The attorneys for the Commonwealth were W. H. Heister, Commonwealth's Attorney; the Hon. J. C. Speight and County Judge Ed Crossland, while strong arguments were made for the defendant by Judge J. E. Robbins, Col. S. H. Crossland and former Commonwealth's Attorney H. J. Moorman.

We Will Have Arc Street Lights—Eh?

If it is thought advisable by the city board of Councilmen at the meeting next week we will have some arc street lights, and no doubt we will sit up all night to watch them burn. This is something that has been painfully needed ever since we have had and electric light plant, and we are glad to learn that the movement is to be consummated.

The situation is that the city in their lease with Ice and Coal Company reserved 150 incandescent street lamps for street lighting, and as they are now using not quite a hundred, the new company has made them a proposition that if they will put a separate line for these lights they will be permitted to use the remaining number of incandescents (or the current) due them, in arcs. This will give about nine arcs, and will be placed, according to our informant, three on Clinton street, two on Water and two on Jackson street, one at the top of the corner of Carroll and Kentucky streets. While it is not known for sure, it is thought that the proposition will be accepted, and that ere long we will enjoy a luxury that should have been accorded us long ago.

Largest Amount of Coal Coming Ever Known.

Because of the continued low water in the Ohio river previous to this last heavy rain, the coal in the harbor at Pittsburg for shipment south accumulated until the water reached a boating tide. Consequently there was a perfect jam, and a famine of towboats to haul it away on the first stage. It is estimated, however, that there are 20,000,000 bushels now floating down the river for points on the Mississippi from Cairo to the Gulf. At least 30,000,000 bushels could have been shipped if towboats had been available. The shipment was suspended the latter part of last week on account of the falling water and scarcity of towboats to haul the barges down the river. Notwithstanding shipment is suspended for a few days there is now one of the biggest fleets of coal ever on the water of the Ohio at one time in the history of the coal business on the river.

The boats now on their way down are the Harry Brown, J. B. Williams, J. B. Finley, Skylark, James Wood and others.

The Sprague, the largest inland towboat in the waters of the West, will probably break all records for large tows when her load is given her at Louisville. This monster boat will be kept working between Louisville and New Orleans during the coal season.

One man was killed and another wounded in a shooting affray in Letcher county.

Five guards in the penitentiary at Frankfort were dismissed Monday and their places filled by the appointment of new men. It is said that others are to be dismissed.

Caleb Powers received one vote for Congress in the recent election in the Eleventh Kentucky district.

"Just like sitting down at mother's table."—Elite Cafe.

NOTICE:

Your Water and Light rent is due on the FIRST OF EACH MONTH, and if not paid by the TENTH, will be cut off.

This took effect NOVEMBER 1, 1906.

Pay at the Hickman Ice & Coal Co office at the ice factory.

Office open from 7 a. m. until 6 p. m. every day except Sunday; and on the 9th and 10th of each month it is open until 9 p. m.

Hickman Ice & Coal Co.

A. O. CARUTHERS, Mgr.

JUMBELLAN TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CO.

Long distance lines to all locations of this Company enable you to talk almost anywhere in Southern Indiana, Southern Illinois, Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi and Louisiana. We can put you in quick and satisfactory communication with the people of this great section of the country. We solicit your patronage. Rates reasonable. Equipments and facilities unsurpassed.

PIPER C. CALDWELL, LELAND HUME, T. D. WELLS.

Golden Rule of Three.

- Three things to be—pure, just and honest.
- Three things to govern—temper, tongue and conduct.
- Three things to live—courage, affection and gentleness.
- Three things to love—the wise, the virtuous and the innocent.
- Three things to commend—thrift, industry and promptness.
- Three things about which to think—life, death and eternity.
- Three things to despise—cruelty, arrogance and ingratitude.
- Three things to admire—dignity, gracefulness and intellectual power.
- Three things to cherish—the true, the beautiful and the good.
- Three things for which to wish—health, friends and contentment.
- Three things for which to fight—honor, home and country.
- Three things to attain—goodness of heart, integrity of purpose and cheerfulness of disposition.
- Three things to give—aims to the needy, comfort to the sad and appreciation to the worthy.
- Three things to desire—the blessing of God, an approving conscience, and the fellowship of the good.
- Three things for which to work—a trained mind, a skilled hand and a regulated heart.

Lindo Again in Jail at Mayfield.

Lindo Murphy, known as "King of the Bootleggers" of Western Kentucky, is again in jail here to serve a sentence of four months and a \$100 fine for selling whiskey without a license. He had been in the Paducah jail for several weeks and was convicted at the term of Federal Court which recently ended at Paducah. The "king" asked to be transferred to the Graves county jail, as his parents live in Mayfield, and the request was granted. Captain Wade Brown, Deputy U. S. Marshall, came with the prisoner to Mayfield Friday night.—Mayfield Mirror.

When you get a catalogue from a big mail order house, just look it over and see what they will pay you for your produce; also investigate their terms of credit and see what they are in case you do not have ready cash; what they will give toward keeping up a public enterprise; just write and ask them what they will give toward the erection of a church; how much they will give to assist the poor. After you have done this see if your home merchant does not do as well.

Don't fail to buy your coal from the Independent Coal Co. If

W. A. Dadds Improving the McClure Property.

Mr. W. A. Dadds, who purchased the McClure property at the corner of Clinton and Kentucky streets, is making improvements thereon, for the accommodation of his lumber business. Mr. Dadds' business has increased so much that it is necessary to have more room than he now has, and to have his sheds more convenient than they now are. A part of the old photograph gallery will be torn away to give room for the sheds and a new one in the rear, the building remodeled and a store room for lime, cement, etc., will be built, with dimensions 12x60 feet. When he gets possession of the ivory barn now occupied by Mr. Leggett, he will make more improvements there.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Cornum, who have been confined to their beds for several weeks with typhoid fever are reported to be getting along nicely with fair chances for a speedy recovery.

Religious Services

BAPTIST CHURCH, Rev. N. H. Graves, pastor. Services every Sunday 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school every Sunday 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting every Tuesday night.

METHODIST CHURCH, Rev. H. O. Johnson, pastor. Services every Sunday 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school every Sunday 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night.

WESLEYAN CHURCH, Rev. H. O. Johnson, pastor. Services every Friday 7:30 p. m. Sunday school every Sunday 9:30 a. m.

CHURCHILLIAN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Rev. Butler, pastor. Services every 2d Sunday 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. every Sunday.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH, Sunday school every Sunday 9:30 a. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH U. S. A.—Services every 2d and 4th Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. every Sunday.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev. U. L. Price, pastor. Services every Sunday except 2d Sunday 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The church is open daily from 9:30 a. m. to 11 p. m. for those whose health and devotion prompt them to visit their Divine Master in the Most Blessed Sacrament. No contribution is required. An offering is collected weekly. Services every Sunday night at 8 p. m.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH OF CHRIST, Rev. S. W. Williams, Pastor; St. Michael's, Rev. S. W. Williams, Pastor. Services every Sunday 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The church is open daily from 9:30 a. m. to 11 p. m. for those whose health and devotion prompt them to visit their Divine Master in the Most Blessed Sacrament. No contribution is required. An offering is collected weekly. Services every Sunday night at 8 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE BAPTIST LEAGUE OF JESUS, The Rev. Joseph A. Smith, pastor. Services: 9 a. m. Sunday school 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The church is open daily from 9:30 a. m. to 11 p. m. for those whose health and devotion prompt them to visit their Divine Master in the Most Blessed Sacrament. No contribution is required. An offering is collected weekly. Services every Sunday night at 8 p. m.

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